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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the Title Page:

The first or sole Notice should read --

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Column 8, Line 34: delete "(PKB, SKB)"; insert --(PKB, SKB)--.

Column 8, Line 44: delete the word "params"; insert --params--.

Column 8, Line 45: delete the words "masks S"; insert --masks s--.

Column 8, Line 46: delete the word "ID"; insert --ID--.

Column 8, Line 50 & 51: delete the words "s, params and ID"; insert --s, params and ID--.

Column 8, Line 52: delete the word "ID"; insert --ID--.

Column 8, Line 54: delete the words "params, ID and M"; insert --params, ID and M--.

Column 8, Line 55: delete the words "C to recover M"; insert -- C to recover M--.

Column 10, Line 61 & 62: delete "ê(P, P)^{abc} if P, aP, bP, and cP are known, but a, b, and c are not"; insert $-\hat{e}(P,P)^{abc}$ if P, aP, bP, and cP are known, but a, b, and c are not--.

Column 10, Line 64 & 65: delete "ê(P, P)^{abc} = ê(abP, cP)"; insert --ê(P, P)^{abc} = ê(abP, cP)--.

Column 10, Line 66 & 67: delete " $g=\hat{e}(P, P)$, then $g^{abc}=g^{ab}$) where $g^{ab}=\hat{e}(aP, bP)$ and $g^c=\hat{e}(P, cP)$ "; insert $-g=\hat{e}(P, P)$, then $g^{abc}=(g^{ab})^c$ where $g^{ab}=\hat{e}(aP, bP)$ and $g^c=\hat{e}(P, cP)$ —.

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Column 11, Line 48: delete "C = [rP, M \oplus H₂(g^r)], where g=ê(Q, P_B) ϵ G₂"; insert --C = [rP, M \oplus H₂(g^r)], where g = ê(Q, P_B)ê(s_BP, P'_B) ϵ G₂--.

Column 12, Line 59: delete the word "params"; insert --params--.

Column 13, Line 39: delete the word "params"; insert --params--.

Column 13, Line 43: delete the word "Musing"; insert -- Musing--.

Column 15, Line 7: delete the word "sendery"; insert --sender y--.

Column 15, Line 11: delete the word "sendery"; insert --sender y--.

Column 15, Line 60: delete "m-1+1"; insert --*m*-*l*+1--.

Column 15, Line 66: delete "1-1"; insert --*l*-1--.

Column 16, Line 10: delete "n-1+1"; insert --n-l+1--.

Column 16, Line 17: delete "1-1"; insert --*l*-1--.

Column 16, Line 25: delete "n-1"; insert --*n-l*--.

Column 19, Line 37: delete "sendery"; insert --sender y--.

Column 20, Line 19: delete " $U_1 = rP_{zi}$ for $k+1 \le I \le n+1$ "; insert $-U_i = rP_{zi}$ for $l+1 \le i \le n+1$ --.

Column 24, Line 40: delete the word "params"; insert --params--.

Claim 80 line 8 (Column 38, Line 11): delete "key!recipient"; insert --key/recipient--.

Claim 80 line 21 (Column 38, Line 24): delete "key!private"; insert --key/private--.